

THE COMANCHE CHIEF

COMANCHE VS DELEON THURSDAY

ASSESSOR - COLLECTOR CALLS
ATTENTION OF AUTO OWNERS
TO CERTIFICATE OF TITLE LAW

Court House News

Marriages Recorded.

Clarence M. Reith and Miss Marie Nell Grigsby were married Nov. 15 by Rev. Roger Smith.

John B. Blackman and Miss Doris Hancock were married Nov. 15 by Rev. M. R. Gaines.

Austin N. Brinson and Miss Mattie Lou Layman were married Nov. 15 by Rev. H. E. Waggoner.

W. E. Nabers and Mrs. Enis Selvidge were married Nov. 8 by Justice R. D. Hukel of Erath County.

Marriage Licenses.

Jack Vaughn and Miss Freda Simmons were married Oct. 23 by Minister R. C. Ledbetter.

County Court Proceedings.

State vs. R. D. Woods, sale of alcoholic beverage. Filed on docket.

State vs. Ben Millican, sale of alcoholic beverage. Filed on docket.

State vs. Mrs. Rube Roberts, sale of intoxicating liquor. Filed on docket.

State vs. Cecil James, driving while intoxicated. Entered plea of guilty. Judgment deferred until Dec. 15.

District Court Proceedings.

Bertha May Hunt vs. W. H. Hunt, divorce. Granted.

Mrs. Tillie Black vs. Jesse H. Black, divorce. Granted.

Deeds Recorded.

E. W. Chaney to Ralph McKinney Foreman, lot in the Chaney Addition to the City of Comanche. Consideration \$573.00.

Bertha S. Beal to W. L. Caffey, 100 acres out of the Daniel Kincheloe Survey. Consideration \$800.

D. H. Cunningham to M. L. Smith, 512.5 acres out of the A. Bagley and the Jesse Mercer Surveys. Consideration \$17,937.50.

O. T. Weatherford to H. J. Johnson, one half acre of the H. & T. C. R. Co. Survey. Consideration \$50.00.

J. B. Eliff to F. G. Adcock, Lot 6 and part of Lot 7, Block 31 of City of De Leon. Consideration \$2,000.00.

W. L. Harkins to J. J. Shaver, 50 acres of the A. Yarbo Survey. Consideration \$1,500.00.

J. J. Shaver to J. C. Ellis, 240 acres of the East Texas Railway Survey. Consideration \$2,923.86.

I. M. Davis to Ertle and Iva Davis, 3 acres out of the Isaac Davis Survey. Consideration \$200.

O. E. Gregg to M. A. Richmond, 169.9 acres of the John Lemon Survey. Consideration \$2,000.00.

W. M. Little to James E. Petrick, 171 acres of the A. M. Jeffrey Survey. Consideration \$2,750.

Camille Fleming to the City of Comanche, 5 acres out of the Benjamin Clark Survey. Consideration \$500.00.

O. V. Loudermilk to E. L. Locke, 52 acres of the Churchill Jones Survey. Consideration \$552.00.

Eussie E. Powers to Harry L. Farmer of Guyahoga, Ohio, 640 acres of Comanche County School Land Survey. Consideration \$14,900.00.

Sect Wins Suit
Against 4 Cities

Four West Texas cities were enjoined by United States District Judge James C. Wilson in Fort Worth Monday from interfering with Jehovah's Witnesses in the distribution of literature.

According to a news dispatch from Fort Worth, L. R. Pearson, city attorney of Ranger, said officials of the cities will decide at a conference in a few days whether they will appeal from the decision. The other cities are Comanche, Coleman and Dublin.

The injunction suit followed a series of disturbances in which the four cities prosecuted the members of the sect on charges of violating municipal ordinances against peddling.

Judge Wilson did not hold that the ordinances were invalid but he did rule that the ordinances were unlawfully applied to the plaintiffs.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Evans of Wichita Falls were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carson Evans last week.

For several months Tax Assessor-Collector P. A. Pettit has been carrying on an educational campaign explaining to the public the new Certificate of Title law which concerns every automobile and truck owner in the county. Owners now have just one month to comply with the new law according to the following article released from the County tax office this week:

At this time we wish to call the public's attention to the absolute importance of the Certificate of Title law.

It is absolutely necessary that each owner of an automobile have this Certificate of Title by the last day of December this year. This law applies to cars, trucks, pickups and all motor vehicles that are operated upon the highway. It is very necessary that you keep this Certificate of Title when you received it from the State Highway Department, Austin, as this to an automobile is as necessary as an abstract or deed to a block of land. This title is supposed to be kept with the automobile at all times and before an automobile can be transferred from one party to another this title has to be presented to this office.

We very deeply appreciate the co-operation the public has given us in this matter and we merely offer these few notes to let the people know the importance of keeping these titles when they are received, as it is against the law to operate any kind of a motor vehicle upon the highways after the first of January 1942 without having this Certificate.

We have quiet a lot of people calling at this office to secure new driver's license, but we do not have anything to do with driver's license. However we are always glad to furnish what information we have regarding these licenses, but as we are not authorized by the Department of Public Safety to issue them, we thought it necessary to let the people of this county know the facts so they might apply for such license at the Chamber of Commerce office or see the Highway Patrolman when he comes to the court house at the sheriff's office.

Gov. Stevenson

Dedicates New
Building Here

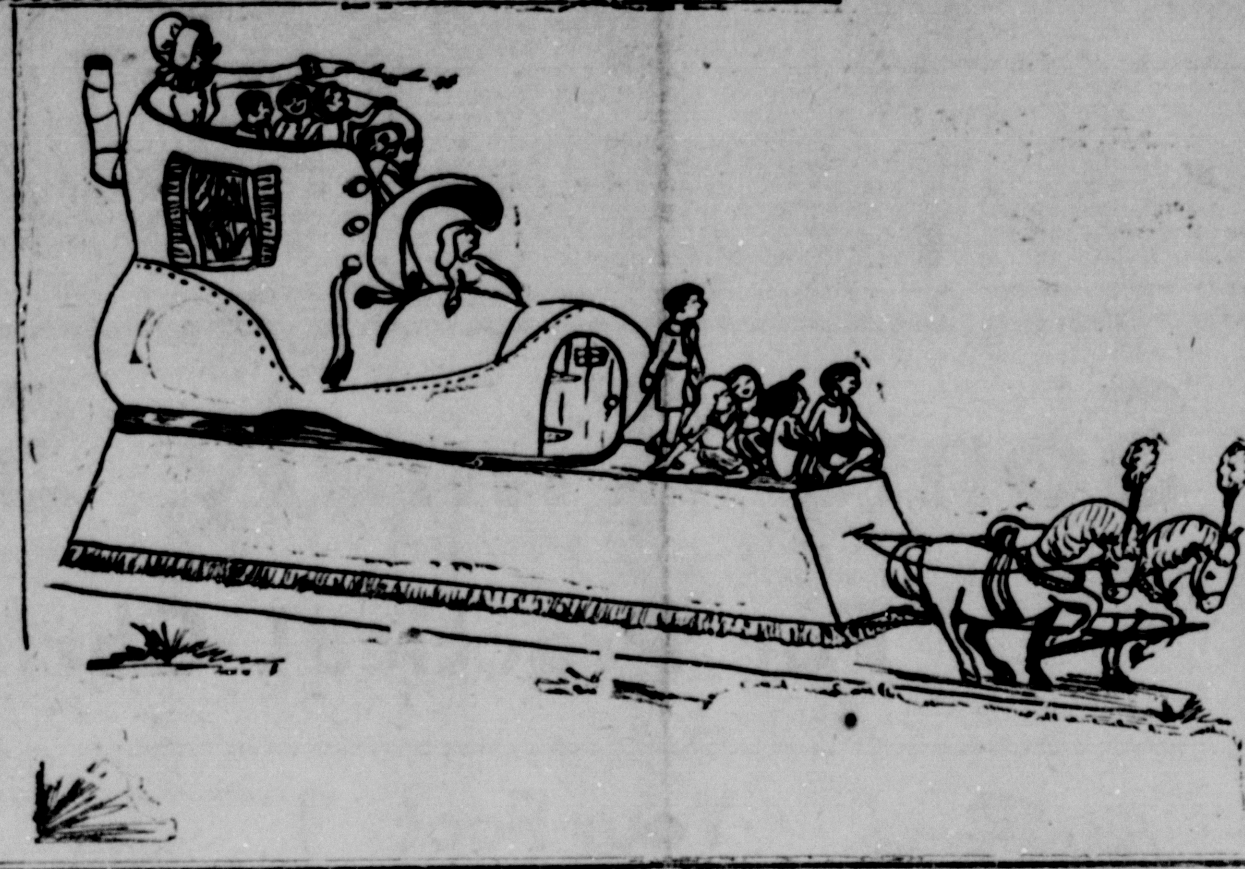
More than 3,500 people gathered here Monday afternoon to hear Gov. Coke Stevenson dedicate Comanche County's new \$197,000 courthouse, just completed through a county bond issue and a Work Projects Administration appropriation. Governor Stevenson called the new structure a symbol of that which the Puritans were seeking at Plymouth Rock, in that it is a shrine of freedom and equality. The State's chief executive said this is truly an event of utmost importance in the history of Comanche County.

"This building stands as a symbol of what can be accomplished by all communities, towns and counties in the nation by co-operation of the citizenship and its governing agencies," Stevenson declared.

District Judge R. B. Cross of Gatesville was master of ceremonies and introduced Tom Cate, Comanche project superintendent for the WPA; Ray D. Morgan, Stephenville, WPA area supervisor; John C. Stille, Waco, district director of operations; State Senator Penrose B. Metcalfe, San Angelo; Mayor W. C. House, Comanche; Mayor F. T. Daniel, De Leon; R. A. Luker, Proctor, former State Representative; State Representative Frank Howington, Comanche; Commissioners E. W. Bruner and W. D. Chapman, Comanche; County Judge H. H. Lockridge, Comanche; Commissioner Emmett Rippetoe, De Leon; Commissioner L. T. Cunningham, Comanche; former County Judge R. S. McCharen, Comanche; and former Commissioners, F. L. Little, Comanche, and F. T. Brandt, Lamkin; and State Senator Carl Lovelady, Meridian.

The high school bands of Comanche and De Leon under Directors Kilpatrick and McCook furnished musical numbers for the ceremonies.

OLD SANTA MAKING HIS WAY TOWARD COMANCHE



Old Santa will be in Comanche with his wonderful Santa Day parade unit on Friday, December 12 at 4:00 p.m., and will be expected to be greeted by all the girls and boys of this section. Besides the Old Lady who lived in a Shoe, old Santa is bringing eight big floats and ten of his favorite Shetland ponies. Don't forget the time and place as the Jolly Old Fellow from The Northland has to move on time so he can make all of the stops he has on his schedule to stop in before Christmas. The parade will move in Comanche promptly.

SANTA CLAUS WILL BRING HUGE CHRISTMAS
PARADE TO COMANCHE FRIDAY AFTERNOON,
DEC. 12; RECORD CROWD EXPECTED FOR EVENT

A radiogram from the Northland signed by Santa Claus was received Wednesday by the Chamber of Commerce accepting their invitation to appear on the streets of Comanche at 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon, December 12th.

Santa will bring 50 big units with his big story-book pageant or parade that will wind through the streets of Comanche at 3:00 p.m. on the 12th, promptly, because Old Santa must be on time as he has many towns to visit. He asks the committee in charge of the event to see that all the boys and girls of this section come to Comanche and be on the streets so he can say hello to them personally. Along with this parade will be the nine beautiful herald girls leading the line of march, each carrying a large garland letter and the nine of them will spell "Merry Christmas"; then will come the floats, the Old Lady Who Lived in a Shoe, Old King Cole, Princess Christmas, Night Before Christmas, Jingle Bells Band, beautiful Chinese Silver Jirikashas, Keep 'Em Flying, and Santa saying hello to the kiddies over his own public address system.

Along with this twenty-five gift comedy characters and grotesque figures will also participate in the parade.

Old Santa says this is the finest parade he has ever brought from the Northland. The Christmas Committee of the Chamber of Commerce has contracted with the Donovan Fireworks and Decoration Company of Abilene to direct this big event for them.

The Santa day parade will bring to the home stretch the Christmas shopping season in Comanche, and all of the stores in Comanche will be filled to overflowing with Christmas bargains on this day.

Watch The Chief for pictures and stories of the Santa Day parade, and plan to see Old Santa in Comanche on December 12th.

SIDNEY YOUTH ON
A.C.C. HONOR ROLL

Jack Bryant, student in Abilene Christian College, was among those listed on the honor roll. Jack is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Bryant of Sidney.

donations to Miss Goodson or to Clarence L. Huett, Roll Call Chairman. Mr. Huett said the drive would be continued until the \$900.00 goal set for Comanche County is reached.

A meeting with the Red Cross workers and Mr. Baxter, District Manager, out of the St. Louis office was held in the courthouse here Tuesday night. It was well attended and plans for the year were discussed.

A PROCLAMATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF COMANCHE

WHEREAS, the Blessings of God have been visited on us in so many ways during the past year that:

We still live in peace in this war torn world of strife and conflict.

In a world of hunger and starvation we reside in a land of plenty.

In a time when country after country has been thrown into slavery by the barbarian rulers of Germany and Italy, the flag of our freedom still flies high.

In a world where the church and its leaders have been banned in so many countries and the name of Hitler has been substituted for God we live in a land where there still exists the right to worship God in our own way. And,

WHEREAS, our Pilgrim Fathers in their struggle to establish a home on this great continent set aside a day from their labors to give Thanks to the Lord for His Blessings; Now,

Therefore, I, W. C. House, Mayor of the City of Comanche, do proclaim Thursday, November 27th, 1941, as a day of Thanksgiving to the Lord for the Blessings that have been ours during the past year.

In token whereof I have set my hand this 24th day of November, 1941.

W. C. HOUSE, Mayor,
City of Comanche, Texas.

Attest:
HARDIE JONES, City Secty.

Over 9,000,000
Pounds Peanuts
Marketed Here

Over nine million pounds of peanuts have been weighed in Comanche this fall, according to C. F. Denny, public weigher.

Mr. Denny estimates that approximately 90 to 95 percent of the peanuts have been sold; and that the 1941 crop in Comanche will hit around the 10,000,000 pound mark.

"If we have pretty weather the rest of this week, practically every peanut crop in the county will be threshed," says Mr. Denny.

A new high price was established this week, when local buyers were paying as high as \$1.34 for top grade peanuts. The Southwest Peanut Growers Association, representing the U. S. Government, has been paying \$1.32 per bushel for Number 1 peanuts this season.

Oil stock peanuts were bringing \$82 per ton Tuesday.

Despite the rainy weather during the harvesting season of the peanuts, which resulted in a large loss; Comanche County the State's largest producer of peanuts, will have another normal crop, say local peanut buyers and producers.

NOVIT'S OFFERING
CHRISTMAS SALE

Harry Melowsky of Novit's Department Store is announcing this week in an advertisement carried elsewhere in this issue a Christmas sale.

Mr. Melowsky says that Novit's is well stocked with practical gifts, many of which were bought before the recent increase in prices.

INDIANS FACE BEARCATS TODAY
IN ANNUAL THANKSGIVING TILT
AT LOCAL PARK AT 2:00 O'CLOCK

29 Years Ago

From The Comanche Chief,
November 8, 1912.

Carl White, a former Comanche boy and printer for the Comanche Chief, had a feature story covering a page in the Fort Worth Record Sunday, describing the fight being made on the cattle ticks.

Marriage Licenses: H. G. Gillock and Miss Eula Turner, Payne Slaughter and Miss Bertha Sides, John S. Seitem and Miss Bessie Gray, J. A. Ellis and Miss Maggie Moore.

Rev. C. C. McCurdy, one of the first preachers of this county, passed away at his home near Newburg Sunday.

The John Wyatt family who lives between Hazel Dell and Wilson has set a record of cotton picking: Ruby, 8 years old, in one day picked 301 pounds; Beatrice, age 12, picked 400 pounds; Jewell, age 15, picked 405; Willie, age 17, picked 528; and Mr. Wyatt, father of the four, picked 420 pounds, making a total of 2054 for the family.

Marshall and Wilson win late count of the electoral vote for the Democratic ticket 387 out of 551. Roosevelt is ahead of Taft and the latter may lose his home State.

The Democrats will control the House by 113 votes; Senate is in doubt.

On exhibit at the Fair, the Comanche County Canning Club won the following awards: Canned tomatoes, Winnie Carnes, Proctor, first; Miss Mary Holland, Comanche, second; Miss Lois Roberson, Comanche, fifth. Canned peaches, Winnie Carnes, fourth. General exhibit of canned fruit and vegetables, Mrs. Larry Kittle, fourth.

The vote in the City of Comanche for President was Wilson, Democrat, 476; Debs, Socialist, 99; Roosevelt, Progressive, 36; Taft, Republican, 12.

Cotton reached 12 cents this week for the first time this season.

The Comanche High School Indians defeated Brownwood High School Saturday 13 to 0. Thirty-one Comanche people accompanied the team to Brownwood. Collins and Cunningham scored for Comanche. Ellis intercepted a pass and ran 45 yards only to fumble. Neely played a star game at guard and Hoize's passing was the prettiest seen this season. Rieger often broke through the Brownwood line, throwing them for a loss. By defeating Brownwood, Comanche is claiming the championship of West and Central Texas and will play Fort Worth for the State title.

It now looks certain that Comanche will have a glass factory according to a report from the Wichita Falls Glass Factory who visited Comanche last week. The sand bed on Indian Creek is reported sufficient to supply a glass factory.

Turkey Raisers
Get \$50,000 Here
On Early Market

Turkey raisers in the Comanche territory received approximately \$50,000.00 from one local firm, the Farmers Produce and Cheese Plant, for turkeys sold on the Thanksgiving market.

The Farmers Produce Company shipped sixteen car loads, averaging around 20,000 pounds of dressed turkeys to the car, to the Northern and Eastern markets. The average market price was from 16 to 18 cents per pound.

Many turkeys were sold to other local produce dealers, and shipped by truck out of Comanche.

George C. McKinzie, manager of the local dressing plant, says that the quality of the turkeys was excellent. He estimates that about sixty percent of the turkey crop of this section was marketed on the Thanksgiving market.

The Christmas turkey market will open in Comanche within the next few days.

The Comanche High School Indians meet the De Leon Bearcats Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Comanche in the annual Comanche County Thanksgiving Day grid classic.

Comanche holds a full game lead over Weatherford and Hamilton, and needs to beat or tie De Leon to annex the 1941 District 12-A grid title.

According to statistics, Comanche has a wide edge when comparative scores and records are considered. The Indians have won six conference games, tied one, and lost none. In non-conference games, Comanche crushed Santa Anna 57-0, beat Brady 33-0, and lost to Coleman 12-6.

Coach Durham's De Leon eleven hasn't been able to win a game this season; although they have shown considerable improvement in the last few weeks, and are sure to turn in their best game of the season against their old county rivals, Comanche.

Comanche was expecting an easy time with De Leon in the Thanksgiving Day game last year, but came out with only a 7-0 victory. The Indians managed to score in this game in the last minute of play.

Eight Seniors On Squad.

Eight members of the 1941 Indian squad are seniors, and will be playing their last scheduled game for Comanche High School. Of these eight seniors, six are expected to be on the starting lineup.

Men that will be lost to the Indians next fall are: Backs, Co-Captains Coker and Munroe, and Nichols; End Spears, Tackle Edwards; Guard Arthur; Centers Luper and Brannan.

Fast Results.

The Indian-Bearcat scores since 1915 follow:		
1915	35	0
1916	40	0
1917	10	13
1918	7	21
1919	0	0
1920 No game		
1921	6	3
1922 No game		
1923	0	0
1924 No game		
1925	25	0
1926	0	7
1927	0	7
1928	6	7
1929	19	6
1930	12	6
1931	20	0
1932	0	6
1933	0	20
1934	6	0
1935	12	28
1936	20	0
1937	31	0
1938	14	6
1939	54	0
1940	7	0
	324	120

Mrs. W. S. Fussell and son, Neal, of Austin are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Callaway.

New Majestic
Theatre

THURS. LAST DAY, Nov. 27
Jack Benny and Kay Frances

—in—
"CHARLEY'S AUNT"

FRIDAY, Nov. 28
Ronald Reagan and Joan Perry

—in—
"NINE LIVES ARE NOT ENOUGH"

SATURDAY MAT., Nov. 29
Gene Autry

—in—
"SIERRA SUE"

SAT. NIGHT - SUN., Nov. 29-30
Henry Fonda and Joan Bennett

—in—
"WILD GEESSE CALLING"

MON. - TUES., Dec. 1-2
Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy

—in—
"GREAT GUNS"

WED. - THURS., Dec. 3-4
"BELLE STARR"

—with—
Gene Turney - Randolph Scott

A Technicolor Feature

Old Majestic

SAT. NIGHT, Nov. 30
Gene Autry

—in—
"SIERRA SUE"

Comanche Chief

Established in 1873
J. C. WILKINSON, Editor and Publisher.
Entered at the Post Office at Comanche, Texas, as Second Class Matter.
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The State Teachers Association has passed a resolution petitioning the Texas Legislature to set the minimum annual teachers salary at \$1200. The Methodist Church has already set the minimum salary for a married minister at \$1000 per annum.

So far no one has set a minimum guaranteed income for the farmers and business men, but some class has to be left out, to raise the taxes to pay the minimum guaranteed the others.

"Let us revive the old custom of the father giving the bride a milk cow," says the "Progressive Farmer."

A good milk cow and some of the generous showers that a popular modern bride receives might partially make up for any deficit she might have gotten in the groom.

For more than 30 years Comanche has enjoyed the reputation as a good football town. We may not always win the championship as we appear to be about to do this year, but the Indians always play a good brand of ball and any team considers it an honor to beat Comanche.

The main reason for the sustained success of the Comanche Indians is public interest and support. Whether you care a "hoot" about athletics or not, you must admire the solid backing of the Comanche fans and the fighting spirit of the Indians.

Co-operation and team work in anything is to be commended.

"There is nothing so fascinating as a hunt in West Texas right now," says The Sterling City Record. "Hordes of red-capped city hunters have invaded the deer country, leaving behind sad-eyed wives and wondering children to make their way in the world as best they can."

"But who can be bothered about a wife and children when out yonder in the brush is an old buck with horns the size of a rocking chair and an old fat gobbler with a beard so long that it drags the ground?" asks the Sterling City editor.

Bible Thought: "Give thanks always for all things unto God and the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ."—Ephesians 5:20.

Gem of Thought: "The day is always his who works in it with sincerity and great aim."

Business Thought: "Our pioneer forefathers never would have reclaimed this country from the wilderness and Indians for civilization if they had observed an eight hour day."

Generally a man with a black eye has a dark outlook on life.

Dr. Ernest F. Cadenhead of Brownwood who was reared in the Van Dyke community, last

week took on a punch to erect a \$11,000.00 seven room brick building on College Avenue in Brownwood.

The Brownwood Sales and Rent Company, a newly chartered company of that city with H. L. Crews as secretary, has announced plans to build 40 new residences in Brownwood representing an investment of \$180,000.

There are more Methodists and Baptists enrolled in Texas Christian University than there are members of the Christian Church. There are 311 Methodists and 163 Baptists making a total of 378 as compared to 303 members of the Christian Church.

When your grandparents were young, Josh Billings was the favorite humorist and philosopher, says Boyce House who quotes a few of his choice thoughts as follows:

"We lay all of our bad luck to some body else, but take credit for all our success."

"The Devil owes most of his success to the fact that he is always on hand."

"There is no substitute for wisdom but silence is the best that has been discovered yet."

Just two more months in which to pay your poll tax in order to qualify for voting in the important 1942 elections.

It will be a violation of the law to operate your car after January 1 unless you have made application at the tax collector's office for a certificate of title.

No person can be truly educated unless he or she acquires "the dictionary habit," the late J. B. Layne once said in a school chapel talk. What he meant was that every time you see or hear a word that you do not know the meaning of, look it up.

Comanche is to have a huge Christmas parade on Friday, December 12 in which more than 100 characters will take part. The play is being sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce at a cost of \$125.

The parade will be put on by a professional organization with headquarters at Abilene. The company will furnish all the costumes and vehicles used in the parade, but most of the characters will be local, the plan being to use at least 100 Comanche school children.

The same company is putting on the Christmas parade at Waco, Temple, Sweetwater, and other large towns of Texas. The company guarantees that Comanche will be the only town within a 50 mile radius in which the parade is staged.

No matter what month the 1941 baby is born in, he is worth a full exemption of \$400 when it comes time to make out your income tax report, the Department of Internal Revenue has ruled.

One of our exchanges says, "America will get in the war yet before England does." That was probably written before the English started the recent offensive.

Marlin H. Blackmon, Captain, 111th Medical Regiment, Camp Bowie, was found not guilty by reason of temporary insanity in connection with the August 2 fatal shooting of his wife, Helen, at a

late Brownwood plant. He has returned to duty as an active army officer.

The A&P Food Stores announces that all employees of that company who are drafted for service under the Selective Service plan or volunteers for service in the U.S. Army will be paid 30 per cent of their salary by the company while they are in the army.

The cost of living in the U.S. has increased on an average of 9.6 per cent since June, 1939, according to the Los Angeles Examiner. There are certain items like public utility rates that have not increased at all.

Food prices have shown the greatest increase, the rise being 18.4 per cent as compared to 10.5 for clothing and 11.3 for house furnishing.

The price of farm products has increased 56.2 per cent since June 1939 says The Examiner.

The Hamilton Herald-Record said last week that the first game of football ever played by Hamilton was with Dublin in 1914 at Dublin, Dublin winning 76 to 0.

For the first few years after football was introduced in most high schools, the coach of each team played with his boys.

WE ARE THANKFUL
(By Clarence Edwin Flynn)

Smiling sky and reaching field
Golden with the harvest's yield,
Flowering garden, flaming wood,
All proclaim that God is good.

Cheerful hearthfire gleaming bright,
Happy faces in its light,
Love's serene and kindly mood
Tell the story God is good,

Words that friendly thoughts impart.

Ties that bind us heart to heart,
Joy of human brotherhood
Spread the news that God is good.

Hopes that glisten in the skies,
Goals that wait before our eyes,
Ways faith's thought has understood
Join the Echo, God is good.

Roads that brighten in the sun,
Happy journeys to be run,
Work to do in hardihood—
This their message: God is good.

Wisdom from great writers—

Youth is a blunder; manhood a struggle; old age a regret. Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm.

The only way to have a friend is to be one. An infinite capacity for taking pains.

Love the offender yet detest the offense.
'Tis not the whole of life to live, nor all of death to die.

Cross Roads Store

Mrs. Loyd Coker and baby have returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Rogers, who celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary recently.

Herman Moore of Camp Bowie spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. A. O. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cox are visiting his mother, Mrs. Hilda Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne LaRogue of Artesia, N. M. spent Thursday with their parents, Mrs. T. D. Farson and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. LaRogue.

Wilson Summers of Camp Bowie spent the week-end here with home folks.

J. G. Hood is visiting his daughters, Mrs. Dave Auvenshine and Mrs. H. J. Rachel in Dallas this week.

Gap

Mr. and Mrs. Obethier Moore of Turner's Town were here last Tuesday to attend the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Mollie Jones.

Mrs. Mamie Cagle and children of Fort Worth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Loman Cagle. Mr. and Mrs. Preston May have returned from West Texas and are living at the Arley Owens home.

Collie May from Jacksboro spent the week-end here with home folks.

Mrs. Fred Hall and daughter of Sidney and Wayne Langston visited their niece and sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Donaldson Saturday.

A birthday dinner and celebration was held at the home of H. B. Jones Sunday, honoring Mr. Jones. All of his grandchildren and children were present, except Mrs. T. A. Everett of Memphis, Texas.

CEMETERY WORKING AT SHILOH DECEMBER 3

There will be a cemetery working at Shiloh on Wednesday, December 3.

Everyone is urged to come, the committee states.

Daily Papers To Advance Prices Of Subscription

Daily papers have announced that on account of the increased cost of paper and production that the bargain rates now in effect will be withdrawn shortly and that under no circumstances will they be extended beyond January 1.

Those who wish to order their papers should do so at once even if your subscription does not expire until after January 1.

You can get The Chief at Fort Worth Press a year now for \$3.50. The Press is daily except Sunday and is the cheapest daily on the market. It is a good paper. You can get The Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Daily and Sunday with The Chief for \$7.95 for a year, or The Chief and Star-Telegram Daily without Sunday for \$6.95.

The Chief will be glad to take your subscription for these papers. The Chief will also appreciate your renewal for The Chief at this time. You can tell by your label whether or not your time has expired. All labels ending in '41 indicate the time has expired or will expire before January 1942.

Some Timely Suggestions For Practical Christmas Gifts



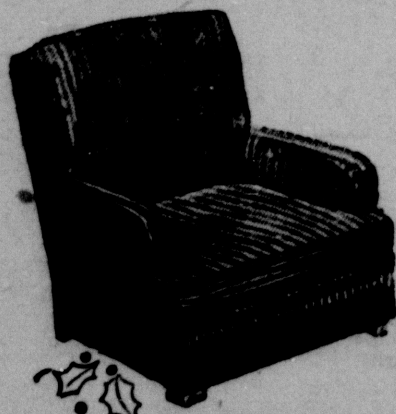
Your Foot Future

... depends upon the shoes you wear now. Cheaply constructed, poorly designed shoes may bring virtually years of discomfort. Avoid such possibilities by selecting now and always from our extensive stock. You'll be glad we suggested it.

BABBIT — New semi-brogue in brown. Ideal for everyday.

\$5.00 and \$6.00

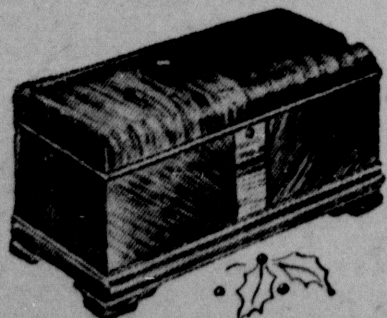
Practical Luxuries for the Home



Don't overlook your own house when it comes to picking out presents of lasting value. Here are some ideas you'll leap at—they're so good looking and such tremendous values.

\$9.95 up

Upholstered Easy Chairs and Rockers in All Covers and Colors.



Copper Bound Cedar Chest with lock.

\$19.95



Fancy Leather Hassock, Moss Filled.

19.95 up



All Leather JACKETS

Perfect for outdoor activities. 4 button front. Wide, roomy side and breast pockets. Lined with fancy plaid woollens and satin.

\$7.95

\$14.95

Smartly Tailored PANTS



New well tailored Winter Pants in cotton, part wool and 100% wool. Plain or pleated front. Tweed, Worsted or Gaberdine.

2.98 - 7.50

Gifts

from her favorite Santa

That's YOU—of course. And she's hoping you'll remember her with a pair (or more) of her favorite Nylon hosiery!

New Stock of Beautiful Sheer Long Wearing

Nylon HOSE

Be sure and visit us at once for several pairs of these lovely flattering Nylon hose.

\$1.65

STARS that shine at night . .

Exquisite gowns make a perfect Christmas gift—they're so dainty and lavish looking. Deep lace inserts and deft hand touches enrich this wonderful collection of Christmas gowns.

White or pink satin, lace yoke. **\$1.95**

Hand-scalloped trim or satin or crepe gown. **\$2.49**

Lavish real lace inserts on eggshell satin. **\$2.95**

Bands of lace across chiffon bodice, satin skirt. **\$3.95**

To learn how to please a lady, just visit our collection of lovely lingerie. Remember, she can't have too many lovely Nitties and Underthings.

Special . . . Reductions!



HIGGINBOTHAM'S Ready-To-Wear Department is offering between 70 and 80 1942 Winter Dresses at a special price. This group of lovely dresses are in all styles, in gay colors, pastels or black and in sizes 11 to 52. Be sure and visit **HIGGINBOTHAM'S** today for several of these lovely dresses. Crepe, Jersey and Spun Rayon usually selling at \$2.95 and \$2.49.

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Three Act Play At Downing Tuesday

"A Wild Flower of the Hills," a three act comedy-drama, will be given at the Downing auditorium Tuesday night, December 2.

The cast: Mammy, a "Gone With The

Wind" type of character, Mrs. Floyd Bush; Lily, Mammy's daughter, Sue Isbell; Moss, Lily's husband, Jack Isbell; Chloe, an uncared for wife, Mrs. Wayne Payne; Snow-White, a mysterious wanderer and friend of Chloe, R. V. Leslie, principal of Downing School; Mrs. Burke, Chloe's foster mother who reared Chloe against her will, Mrs. Jesse Ladd; John, a young aviator and favor-

ite son of Mrs. Burke, Wayne Payne; Jed, John's jealous brother, Willie Loudermilk; Sue, a little flirt, Nina Beth Stephens; Zack Jackson, a crafty attorney and partner of Jed in the moonshine business, Verdere Loudermilk. Special music between acts. No admission charge. All are cordially invited. The play is being sponsored by the Downing Community Club.

Telephone Company Is Co-Operating With Defense Program

The effect of the "All-Out" Defense Program of our country is being felt more and more each day in the affairs of our community. Karl Shock of the local telephone company states that the shortage of those materials needed in the manufacturing of equipment used in the telephone business is becoming increasingly evident each day and every indication is that greater difficulty will be experienced by the local company in securing the materials and equipment necessary in its business.

It was further stated that the major portion of materials and equipment used in the telephone business are under priorities control and that at the present time the telephone industry has a priorities classification of A-10 which classification includes the bulk of all business and activities other than retailers. Under the present priority classification, the telephone company can only purchase material necessary for repair and maintenance which, as Mr. Shock pointed out, means that it will probably be necessary in the near future to postpone any contemplated extension or expansion of telephone service due to the inability of securing and using the necessary materials. Even though the company has been granted a relatively high priority rating for materials used

in making repairs, it has been experiencing delay in securing such materials because of the shortage of such items and the fact that the A-10 rating assigned to the telephone industry includes the bulk of all industry and business.

As an example of the existing shortages in metals used in making materials and equipment for the telephone industry, Mr. Shock referred to the recent action of the Priorities Division of the Office of Production Management which placed rigid controls over copper and brass. The Office of Production Management stated that the estimated demand for copper in October amounted to 259,479 tons of which 144,439 tons were for the Army, Navy, Lend-Lease and other preferred purposes, while the total production for the month was estimated at 138,700 tons, leaving an approximate shortage of 120,779 tons. The estimated shortages of copper for the year 1942 is 750,000 tons.

In cooperating with the "All-Out" Defense Program of the nation, the local company is making every effort to conserve its use of materials and to use substitute products wherever possible in order to help in relieving the shortages of critical materials and at the same time meet the demands for service. Present conditions indicate that increased delays may be experienced in making new installations and that the point may soon be reached where service will have to be restricted or refused due to such material shortages.

W. R. DANIELS EXHIBITS LARGE SWEET POTATOES

W. R. Daniels of the Soda Springs community brought in six sweet potatoes last week that weighed forty-one and a half pounds.

The largest potato weighed slightly over nine pounds; the smallest weighed six pounds.

Charley Allen of Ranger spent the week-end here with home folks.

Mrs. C. C. Nance was called to Big Spring last week to be at the bedside of her son, Wintz Nance, who underwent an appendix operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Wilson of Maxwell spent last Friday night with C. C. Wilson and family.

Helen Slider, student at North Texas State Teachers College spent the week-end in Comanche with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Slider.

Mrs. Ed Onstot of Austin spent the week-end in Comanche with her mother, Mrs. Herbert Goodson.

Keith Lane, who is employed in Fort Worth, spent last Thursday in Comanche with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. McMullan of Silver City, New Mexico, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. Long, Miss Mamie Long, and Mr. and Mrs. John Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kine of Mineola are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sanders in Comanche this week.

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December 5th

FARMERS ARE URGED TO GET
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Someone will be at the gins all during the week to receive cotton.

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288 SIZE TEXAS ORANGES	dozen 15c
TEXAS GRAPEFRUIT	3 for 10c
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CELERY	per stalk 10c
YAMS	10 lbs. 25c
GRAPES	per lb. 7½c
CRANBERRIES	per lb. 21c

SUNNYFIELD PURE LARD	4 lb. carton 53c
DEXO SHORTENING	3 lb. can 57c

A&P PORK & BEANS	2 LB. BOX EXCELL CRACKERS
3 cans 20c	15c

A&P Salad Dressing	WHITE HOUSE MILK
Quart 37c	3 cans 25c

Chocolate Covered CHERRIES lb. 19c

APPLES 10c dozen - \$1.15 bu.

BULK COCONUT per lb. 19c

MARVEL BREAD 24 oz. loaf 10c

P&G or C.W. SOAP	DILL or SOUR PICKLES
3 bars 12c	Quart 15c

EIGHT O'CLOCK COFFEE	SPARKLE DESSERT
2 lbs. 39c	4 pkgs. 17c

A&P KETCHUP 2 14-oz. bots. 27c

OXYDOL or RINSO lg. 23c

IONA FLOUR 48 lbs. \$1.49

NOTICE

A State law has been passed that all automobile owners must obtain a CERTIFICATE OF TITLE of ownership for their cars. The deadline is December 31.

The fee, set by law, for a Certificate of Title, is 50c provided the same person owns the car now that owned it before October 1, 1939.

GET YOUR CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NOW

IT IS ILLEGAL TO DRIVE YOUR CAR AFTER DECEMBER 31 WITHOUT A CERTIFICATE OF TITLE.

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POSTED NOTICE—My farm 1 mile southwest of De Leon is posted against hogs or other stock running on it. Also against hunting or other forms of trespassing, under penalty of the law.—J. R. Bartholomew, Rt. 2, De Leon. (17-19p)

FOR SALE—Used tractor tires, as well as new ones. Farm implements of all kinds.—Hoff Implement Co., Fort Worth Highway East.

FEED OF ALL KINDS—For chickens, turkeys, cows, horses, and hogs. Bring us your feed grinding.—Hatchery Feed Store, Comanche. (16c)

FARM FOR LEASE—A small farm.—See Mrs. J. Q. Johnson at Bob Cox residence. Phone 78. (11p)

APARTMENT FOR RENT—Furnished.—Mrs. C. M. Boore. (11c)

FOR SALE—Circuit living room heater. Resembles cabinet radio. Made of mahogany.—Mrs. Dorothy Schwartz, Sidney Star Rt., Comanche, Texas. (11p)

STOCK FARM FOR SALE—Around 600 acres. Lies on both sides of Rush Creek. Lots of pecan trees and plenty of spring and running water.—See J. A. Lee or Joe B. Lee. (11c)

FARM FOR SALE—256 acres: 100 in cultivation; 2 1/2 miles north of Gustine.—For further information, see S. W. McDonald, Gustine. (17-19p)

Huett's Furniture Store

Buys and sells all kinds of furniture. Also buy sewing machines or repair them. Do all kinds of repair and upholstering. Rebuild stoves of all kinds. So if you have anything to sell or repair, call and see me. Work Guaranteed.

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Sidney Street (11c)



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Perk up your glamour with a gay, youthful hairdress, and a fresh new permanent for the holidays. Your admirers will think they've twice as much to be thankful for when they see you looking your prettiest across the holiday table!

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Subscribe at The Chief Office (11c)

COMPTON'S PHARMACY At Gustine sells Purina Feeds and Sanitation Products. (11c)
FARMALL Regular Tractor with two row planter and cultivator \$250.00; 24" Case Thresher \$125. —Hoff Implement Co., Ft. Worth Highway East. (11c)

FORT WORTH PRESS \$3.00 PER YEAR, AND WITH CHIEF \$3.50

The Fort Worth Press, a daily newspaper except Sunday can now be ordered through The Comanche Chief for one year for \$3.00; with The Chief \$3.50. Subscribe at The Chief Office. (11c)

BABY BEEF TURKEYS—I have a few Baby Beef Turkeys left. First here, first served.—J. C. Gotcher, Comanche, Dem. Star, quarter mile west of Harmony. (18-19p)

HOLLY—Decorate this year with real Holly—plenty of red berries. 2 lb. box \$1.00 p.p.—Ocia Johnson, Lambert, Ark. (18-20c)

WANTED TO BUY—Your pecans. Highest prices paid. Also, will buy dead wool.—Alfred McKinzie at Farmers Produce Co. (11c)

GOATS—Want to trade for 60 to 100 head of good goats.—Ray T. Hoff at Hoff Implement Co., Fort Worth Highway East.

BATTERY SPECIAL

Extra Special: We have a battery special with a six months guarantee that we can sell you for \$3.75, exchange. Why pay more?

Drive to Frank Phifer's Service Station and save.

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35 acre sandy land farm about 5 miles NW Comanche 1995.00. Federal Land Bank loan about \$675.00, small payments, no house.

111 acres 3 miles East Comanche on highway. Will sell all or separate in 3 tracts adjoining the highway.

220 acre sandy land farm 5 miles NW Comanche, with 140 acres in cultivation. \$12.50 per acre.

140 acre sandy land farm about 1 mile off of Gustine Highway and about 9 miles from Comanche. \$1750.00.

150 acre farm between Purvis and Carlton, \$2,000, with \$400 down and about \$50.00 payments twice a year.

3.55 acres 3 miles from Comanche on highway. \$150.00.

100 acres black heavy land, 80 acres in cultivation, improvements fair, West of Comanche. Probably best farm in county. \$40.00 per acre.

EILAND FAGAN

Comanche, Texas

RADIATOR REPAIR—If your radiator leaks, bring it to Frank Phifer's Service Station for repair. (11c)

HOUSE AND LOT, 150x200, near high school, Hoff home. May sell 50 foot front lot with modern cow barn and chicken house.—See Ray T. Hoff at Hoff Implement Co., Fort Worth Highway East.

RADIOS REPAIRED—Bring us your radio. We guarantee all work. We are in a position to repair your radio at a reasonable price. Latest equipment.—Service Drug Store. (11c)

WASHING MACHINE REPAIRING—If your washing machine is not running right or needs repairing, call the Service Drug Store. Expert mechanic, prices reasonable and work guaranteed. Do not take chances with a traveling mechanic whose prices are often high and who cannot be located if his work does not stand up.—Service Drug Store. (11c)

TRUCKING—Short and long distance hauling, bonded and insured. See Bob Cox, phone 355.

We have just installed a permanent machine fully equipped with Automatic Time Clock and other new features. Oil Permanent \$1.00 Set 15c until Friday. Personality Beauty Shop. Phone 356. (11c)

FOR RENT—Galvanized iron building 25x50. Ideal location for top & body shop, or office, or warehouse. Located in front of jail on Highway No. 10.—See Wade Evridge, Comanche. (11c)



We list below part of our stock of Used Cars. Buy now while we have a large selection to choose from.

- 1941 Pontiac 8 2-Door Sedan
- 1940 Pontiac 6 4-Door Sedan
- 1940 Plymouth Coupe
- 1940 Nash Coupe
- 1939 Plymouth 2-Door Sedan
- 1939 Plymouth Coupe
- 1938 Buick 8 4-Door Sedan
- 1938 Plymouth 4-Door Sedan
- 1938 Chevrolet Coupe
- 1938 Plymouth Coupe
- 1937 Plymouth 2-Door Sedan
- 1937 Chrysler 4-Door Sedan
- 1937 De Soto 4-Door Sedan
- 1937 Chrysler Coupe
- 1937 Plymouth Coupe
- 1937 Ford V8 Coupe
- 1937 Chevrolet 2-Door Sedan
- 1936 Plymouth 4-Door Sedan
- 1936 Chevrolet 2-Door Sedan
- 1936 Ford V8 4-Door Sedan
- 1936 Chevrolet 4-Door Sedan
- 1935 Ford V8 2-Door Sedan
- 1935 Oldsmobile 4-Door Sedan
- 1934 Ford V8 Coupe
- 1933 Plymouth 2-Door Sedan
- 1940 Chevrolet 1 1/2 Ton Truck
- 1940 GMC Long Wheel Base Truck
- 1939 GMC Truck
- 1937 Plymouth Coupe
- 1936 Chevrolet Pickup
- 1935 Ford Pickup

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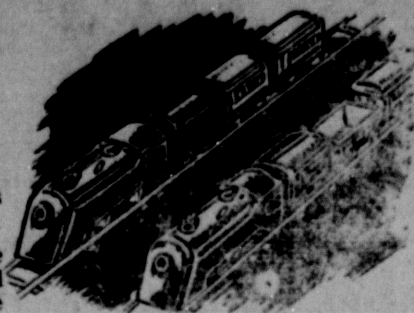
Come In And Visit!

Wind-Up Trains

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Each model has four units and ten sections of shining track. The handsome engines have a bell and shoot real sparks! Made of heavy gauge steel.



Play Chair

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A jolly red chair to set beneath the tree! 18 inches high and sturdy!

Fleet of Trucks

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Choice of several different kinds! They're all streamlined cab style. Solidly made of good heavy steel. A hit with all the kids!

DOLLS . . . DOLLS and more DOLLS!

Beautiful Baby

\$1.00



She's soft and huggable with moving eyes and long lashes and she cries! She wears a dress, bonnet, slip, rubber panties, socks and shoes. 16 inches tall!

MANY OTHER ADORABLE DOLLS!

Here's A Doll WHO DRINKS AND WETS!

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This cuddly 13-inch rubber baby drinks from her bottle and then has "accidents"!

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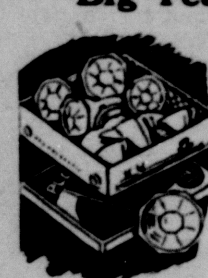
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Covered with washable plastic film. 8 to 12-inch size.



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Each Modern plastic service for 2 or 3; gypsy glass service for 2; litho metal service for 4.

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Everyone enjoys this marble shooting fun-maker!



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At Frank Phifer's, you can buy gasoline at 15c, 16c, or 17c per gallon. Why pay more? Try a tankful of Frank Phifer's gasoline. You'll be pleased with the gasoline, and with the money it saves you. We are also headquarters for low priced wash and grease jobs. Bring your car to us and save money.

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TAYLOR COUNTY STOCK Farm For Sale—360 acres, 140 in cultivation, 2 good houses, plenty of water, good wheat, cotton and row grain land.—C. L. Fowler, Owner, York Hotel, De Leon Texas. (11c)

FOR RENT—Galvanized iron building 25x50. Ideal location for top & body shop, or office, or warehouse. Located in front of jail on Highway No. 10.—See Wade Evridge, Comanche. (11c)

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FOR SALE—One used F-12 Farmall tractor with pulley, two row lister with planting attachments for F-12, two row cultivator for F-12, John Deere Model 129B five disc tiller with wheel weights.—Mrs. T. D. Parsons, west of Sidney, Texas. (16-19)

FOR LEASE—50 acre place. Good house and barn. Good water. All fenced hog proof.—See Mrs. Frankie Gorden. (11p)

FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartment. Modern conveniences. Garage.—See O. H. Donahoe. (11c)

PIGS FOR SALE—Have 15 eight weeks old pigs. Also have 8 O.I.C. registered pigs 6 weeks old. 8 blooded O.I.C. 7 weeks old. Can be seen First Monday in Comanche or 3 mi. out De Leon highway.—E. H. Barry. (11p)

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There's nothing more annoying than to find a bulb-less lamp just when you need good light the most. Check on your bulbs right now . . . be sure you have enough!

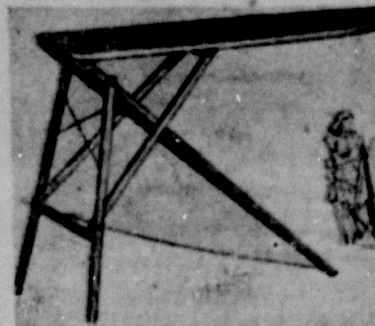
Dependable MAZDA Lamps

25-Watt 10c 75-100 Watt 15c 40-60 Watt 13c G.E. 30-60 10c

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Oil Mop SPECIAL

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98¢

Prefocus Flashlight, solid copper case, special less batteries

59c

Flashlight Batteries

2 for 7c

Leaf Rake

43c

Neatsfoot Brand Shoe and

Harness Oil pint 13c — quart 20c

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WE'VE GOT A BUMPER CROP OF USED CARS

THAT MUST BE SOLD At Once!

Come in today MAKE US AN OFFER

Buy Now - Save Money

- 1939 PLYMOUTH Coupe
- 1938 CHEVROLET Coupe
- 1938 OLDSMOBILE Town Sedan
- 1936 CHEVROLET Std. Town Sedan
- 1931 FORD Coach
- 1935 FORD Coach
- 1929 FORD Coach
- 1938 PLYMOUTH 4-Door Sedan
- 1934 PLYMOUTH 4-Door Sedan
- 1940 DODGE Pickup
- 1941 CHEVROLET Pickup
- 1941 CHEVROLET Special De Luxe Town Sedan

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Save At STARR'S EAST SIDE SQUARE

"Newest 1941 Christmas Gifts"

FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY,
AT PRICES YOU CAN AFFORD.

Toyland Specials

ARE NOW ON—COME IN AND SEE.
BIG SELECTION — LOW PRICES!

USE OUR LAY-AWAY PLAN—A Small Deposit Will
Hold Any Article Until Christmas.

Friday - Saturday & Monday BIG SPECIALS

LADIES' HOSE
FINE GAUGE RAYON.
New Fall Colors
25c

TOBAGANS
In Pretty Combination
Colors. 25c VALUE
19c

LACE HOSE
SILK LEG AND SOLE
Extra Special
49c

LADIES' SLIPS
RAYON. A Special
Purchase At
59c

Ladies' PURSES
VALUES TO \$1.00
59c

MILK JARS
GALLON SIZE
Special For 3 Days
12c

Complete LAMPS
With Fount, Wick,
Burner and Chimney
49c

GLASS BOWLS
Good Size. Clear Crystal
SPECIAL
10c

PICTURES
BIG 23x30 SIZE.
Wide Heavy Frames
\$1.00

DOLL BUGGY
SPECIAL 3 DAYS
98c

GRAB IT WHILE IT IS HOT.
Haven't sold that 97½ acre farm yet. \$1,200.00 will buy it, with small cash payment, balance long easy terms. Farm adjoining this roadside, sold \$1,000.00 worth of peanuts and watermelons this year. Surely, surely, someone should snap this up, quick. Why pay rent? I do not own this place, and am not uneasy about the amount due me.—C. P. St. Clair, Comanche. (11c)

FOR RENT—2 nice rooms to rent. Modern conveniences. See me at C. J. Reynolds.—R. D. Brooks. (11p)

USE PRATT'S POULTRY TONIC
For increased egg production. Try Pratt's Tonic for two weeks and if your hens do not lay more eggs, bring the tonic back to the Service Drug Store and receive twice the price you paid for it. We guarantee it to get results.—Service Drug Store. (19-23c)

HOUSE FOR SALE—14x16. Also, practically new radio. Can be seen 1 mile from square on De Leon highway.—Mrs. W. D. Everett. (11p)

FOR SALE—Good house trailer, cheap for quick sale.—At Tom Foster's on Sidney road. (11p)

FOR RENT—2 or 3 room apartment with front entrance. Bath with hot water.—Mrs. John Gore, House No. 411, Post Office St. (11p)

FOR RENT—Three room unfurnished apartment. Upstairs. Modern conveniences.—Mrs. J. E. Vineyard. (11c)

FOR RENT—Two furnished bedrooms.—Mrs. C. F. Williams, 508 East Grande Ave. (11c)

FARMS FOR LEASE—One small new house with ten acres of land; one house with 40 acres of land; and one house with 7 acres of land. All located near Comanche on Dublin Highway.—Dayton Powell, Comanche. (18-19p)

POSTED NOTICE—All hunting and trespassing is positively forbidden on all land operated by the undersigned.—B. B. Moore, Roy Henson, Walter Bogart, Sid Burton, and Hix Bryson. (18-19c)

RUPTURED—Then don't fail to see the amazing BUBBLELESS-BELTLESS and STRAPLESS new improved Dobbs Truss. This wonderful truss holds with a gentle but firm pressure and is the most comfortable truss made. Try a Dobbs before you buy. Sold by **DURHAM'S R. PHARMACY**

FOR SALE—Farmall P-12 with all equipment.—Ted Albin, Gustine, Texas. (11p)

IF YOUR CAR NEEDS Overhauling or working over, bring it to Frank Phifer's Service Station. Our prices are low. (11c)

FOR EXPERT ALTERATIONS and repairs, call on Gille The Tailor. We know how. Phone 89. 2 blocks west of square on Brownwood Highway. (19-22p)

MOVING TO WHERE HAVE REA—Have 32 volt automatic Delco light plant complete with iron. Battery and light bulbs, and wire to wire 5 room home. Also one battery radio. Will sell or trade for cows or hogs. Can be seen at Cameron farm 5 mi. north of Comanche.—E. M. Brewton, Rt. 1. (11p)

MY HAND-MADE GIFTS Will be on display at the City Bakery from Saturday, Nov. 29 through Christmas.—Mrs. Kate Cunningham. (11p)

FOR SALE—Have 400 bu. corn. Also some good horses and mares, at my farm 2 miles south of Pettit.—C. L. Perkins. (11p)

FOR SALE—Cypress water tank and tower. A bargain at \$20.—See Earl Nelson at Farmers Produce. (11p)

FOR SALE—3 or 4 acres off the North side of our place. Nice building lot. Accessible for lights and gas.—Less Dillard. Telephone 368. (11p)

BABY BEEF TURKEYS For Sale. Fine breeding stock. Hens \$3.00 and up. Toms \$4.00 and up.—H. W. Hoover, on the D. C. Bailey place, 2 miles north of Comanche. (19-20p)

NOTICE!

We wish to take this means of correcting a rumor that gained wide circulation concerning the fatal shooting of Murray Thomas in Dublin on the night of October 7. Mr. Thomas was not intoxicated; and he did not strike Mrs. Hallmark, nor did he assault the nightwatchman. The tragedy is regrettable, but we want our friends and neighbors to know the true facts concerning the incident.

Signed: Mrs. Murray Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomas (adv-11c)

SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTION TO SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

Although regular out-of-county subscription rate on account of the postage is \$1.50 per year, we are making a special offer to soldiers and sailors and will send The Chief one year to any address for \$1.00.—Subscribe at The Chief. (11p)

FOR LEASE—913 acres, pretty rough land, none in cultivation, 12 miles South of Comanche, fenced and cross fenced with net wire. Good house, fair barns, on REA line and bus route, watered by creek, two tanks, well and windmill.—Elland Fagan, Comanche. (11c)

SEED OATS—I have a few seed oats as good as can be bought, 50c per bushel at the barn, 3 mi. southeast of Comanche on the old Tugle farm. Red Rust Proof Ferguson Oats.—M. H. Kirkland, Comanche, Rt. 1. (11p)

Trades Day Here Set For Monday

The regular First Monday Trades Day will be observed in Comanche Monday and a big crowd from all over the county is expected here to sell, trade and buy.

Many of the merchants are arranging special bargains for the occasion and the week-end and are making their announcements in the advertisements carried elsewhere in this issue.

14 Men To Go To Army From Here Dec. 10

The following named men have been selected for induction by the Comanche County Selective Service Board. They shall report to this Local Board at Comanche at 8:45 a.m. on December 10; whereupon they shall be sent to an induction station of the United States Army at Dallas.

Order No.—Name
S 553 Willie Burnell Clements
S 623 Bobby Lanell Green
S 878 Dock Edward Mast
1184 Joe Evridge
1190 Norman Beene Matthews
1195 Reginald Kelley Waggoner
1222 Loyd Alvin Plummer
1231 Nolan Gray Langley
S1252 Johnnie Ray Landreth
1261 Kenneth Rex Carnes
S1269 Loyd Edison Mims
S1320 Junius Neel White
1308 M. N. Smart
S1218 Grady Odell Ripley

23 More Men Go To Army From Here In January

Twenty-three more men will be sent to the Army from Comanche County in January according to Mrs. Cleve Callaway, secretary of the Local Board. They will first go from here to the Army Examination Board at Dallas on December 16. Mrs. Callaway reports.

Those who pass the physical examination will then be sent to Camp Wolters at Mineral Wells from here on January 23.

GUSTINE TIGERS BEAT COMYN WOLVERINES

The Gustine High School Tigers defeated the Comyn High Wolverines, 7-6 Wednesday night in a football game played at De Leon.

Church News

METHODISTS TO FEATURE SPECIAL MUSIC

Rev. A. Bryson English, pastor of First Methodist Church in Comanche announces that special music will feature both church services next Sunday.

Congregational singing at the evening hour will be predominant. The pastor will speak at 10:30 a.m. from this subject: "Time Marches On."

At 7 o'clock he will use as a sermon subject: "Sham Battles." The Church School will meet at 9:45 a.m. with Superintendent Vascoe Lee in charge.

All Epworth Leagues will meet at 6:15 Sunday evening. The Society of Christian Service meets every Monday at 3 p.m. Mid-Week Prayer Service meets every Wednesday at 7 p.m. Choir rehearsal is held every Thursday at 7 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

10:00 a.m. Bible Classes.
11:00 a.m. Sermon, "Gratitude In Action."
7:15 Evening Sermon, "The Grandeur of Christ's Person."
6:15 p.m. Young People's League.
Wednesday, 7:15 p.m. Mid-Week Prayer Service.
"A warm welcome awaits you."
—E. M. Sheppard.

FRANK REESE IS APPOINTED AS BUCKNER ORPHANS HOME MAN FOR COUNTY BAPTISTS

Frank Reese, treasurer of the Comanche County Baptist Association, has also been appointed to receive gifts and money for the Buckner Orphans Home. Mr. Reese succeeds his father, the late William Reese, who had been treasurer for over forty years and chairman of the Home committee for the past twenty years.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

"Disciples of Christ"
Bible Classes, Communion and preaching every Sunday morning beginning at ten o'clock.
The sermon this Sunday will be: "The Fruits of Christ's Freedom."
No evening or mid-week services.
—C. C. Klingman, Pastor.

A.A.A. Farmers Must Do Three Things In 1942

To earn his full AAA payments in 1942, a Comanche County farmer must do three things.

First, he must devote at least 25 percent of his land to erosion-resisting crops or land uses at some time during the program year. Second, he must plant within his acreage allotments. Third, he must earn his soil-building allowance.

These three points were emphasized by E. L. Pierson, local AAA official.

A farmer falling below the 25 percent minimum requirement will earn only a proportionate part of his cotton, wheat, peanut and Irish potato payments.

The soil-building allowances may be earned, as in previous years, by carrying out approved soil-building practices, the AAA official explained.

Payments for planting within allotments include: Cotton, 1.25 cents per pound; Wheat, 10.5 cents per bushel; Peanuts, 7.25 cents per 100 pounds. The rate of Irish potatoes, for which allotments were established for the first time under the 1942 program is 2 cents per bushel.

Crops meeting erosion-resisting classification include biennial and perennial legumes or grasses, cowpeas, soybeans, mung beans, velvet beans, sweet clover, rye grass, Natal grass, lespedeza, crotalaria and winter legumes.

Other crops include 1941 fall-seeded small grains not harvested for grain, with the exception of wheat. If the oats, rye, barley and small grain mixtures are cut for hay, they must be cut prior to the dough stage, the AAA official explained.

Thick-seeded sudan not harvested for seed, sweet sorghums or millet for pasture; peanuts hogged-off; and green manure and cover crops, also meet erosion-resisting requirements.

All fall-seeded crops must be seeded in the fall of 1941 to apply on the 1942 program.

Personal Mention

G. L. Morris has returned home to Comanche after a six weeks stay in an Arkansas hospital, where he underwent an operation. Joy Jean Eaton of North Texas State Teachers College visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eaton in Comanche over the week-end.

F. M. Black, had of the research and sales department of a Houston oil well supply company, visited his mother, Mrs. R. L. Black, and his sister, Mrs. Elland Fagan over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arol Thomas of Gallup, New Mexico, are visiting his father, Elmer Thomas. Miss Juanita Barrett, who is attending a business school in Fort Worth, spent last Thursday and Friday in Comanche with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Gordon Barrett.

COMANCHE GARDEN CLUB MEET NOVEMBER TWENTIETH

The regular meeting of the Comanche Garden Club was held November twentieth at the Methodist Church with Mrs. T. J. Williams hostess.

Roll Call response was a garden suggestion for November. Mrs. Virgil Chaffin spoke on "Lilies; Culture and Companion Planting." Mrs. R. W. H. Hamilton read an article on "Famous Gardens." Miss Ruth Adelle Moore played a piano number, "Canzonetta," by Hollander.

The next meeting of the club will be on December eighteenth with Mrs. W. H. Thate hostess.

WILLIAMS-CARROLL WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Williams, Comanche, Rt. 1, announce the marriage of their son, Geo. R. to Miss Polly Carroll. The wedding took place in Galveston at the home of the bride's sister on Nov. 14th. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carroll of College Station.

They will make their home in College Station where George is a student in A. & M. College.

Ben Evridge made a business trip to Brownwood Monday.

MRS. THERESA DUDLEY IS HOSTESS TO CLUB

Miss Theresa Dudley was hostess to the Colony Club on the evening of November 30th with a chicken chop suey supper. After which three tables of bridge were arranged. Mrs. Tom Dudley was awarded the prize for high and Miss Juanita Barrett the consolation prize.

Out-of-town members attending were Misses Bette Krauss of Midland and Juanita Barrett of Fort Worth.

Guests included Miss Ruedell Irwin, Mesdames E. R. Evans, C. W. Carnes, Tom Dudley, and C. E. Roberts of Lubbock.

SUNSHINE CLUB NEWS

(By Club Reporter)

The last meeting of our club was held Nov. 20th at the home of Mrs. Estelle Reece. There were sixteen members present. Two quilts were quilted.

The visitors present were Mrs. Vera Wilkerson, Mrs. Don Norris, Mrs. Vivian Butler, Mrs. Opal Menard and Miss Mat Norwood.

We were glad to have Mrs. Howington as our last week member.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Leah Williams on Dec. 2.

MRS. WALTER DURHAM, JR. ENTERTAINED MEMBERS OF THE PRIDE CLUB AT HER HOME IN COMANCHE LAST WEEK. FOUR TABLES OF BRIDGE WERE ARRANGED.

Mrs. Walter Durham, Jr., entertained members of the Pride Club at her home in Comanche last week. Four tables of bridge were arranged.

Mrs. Vascoe Lee was high for the club members; Mrs. Charles Wetzel was high for the guests. Delicious refreshments of orange salad, coconut cake, and coffee were served.

Mrs. Ernest Wells and daughter, Mollie Jo, attended the Griffin-Spencer wedding in Brownwood Saturday night.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who in any way brought comfort and cheer to our husband and father, H. T. Jamar, during his recent illness, and we want you to know that we appreciate your kindness, beautiful floral offerings and words of cheer at the time of his death and burial. Especially do we thank Porter Franks and his assistant, and Mr. Sharp and Rev. Willie Skaggs or their kindness and words of cheer. May God bless each of you in the prayer of, Mrs. H. T. Jamar and children.

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FOR SALE—Portable Corona typewriter, three row keys. \$10.00. For sale or trade.—Hoff Implement Co., Fort Worth Highway East. (11p)

AUTO FOR SALE—1941 Ford. First \$700 gets it.—Jim Johnson, Comanche. (11p)

WANTED TO BUY—Men's and boy's boots and shoes. Must be in good repairable condition. Also will buy used magazines or will trade you one for two. Buy your reading matter here. We have thousands to choose from. Funnies 2 for 5c, others 3 for 10c, and 5c each.—Freeman's, east side of square. (11p)

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FOR SALE—One mare, coming 5 years old, 16 hands high, weight about 1500 lbs. Broke to work; and her spring filly colt yearling; 1942 spring.—See Higginbotham Bros. & Co., Gustine, Texas. (11p)

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Business house in Gustine. Will sell or trade for small farm.—W. F. Rambo, Jr., Proctor, Texas. (18-19p)

TENT—10x12 tent for sale.—Ray T. Hoff at Hoff Implement Co., Ft. Worth Highway East. (11p)

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TODD SWITZER WINS
WRESTLING CROWN OF
U. S. COAST GUARD

Todd Switzer of Comanche won the heavyweight wrestling championship of the United States Coast Guard Base at New Orleans.

Switzer, star football player at Comanche and later an all conference performer at Drake University, has been in the Coast Guard only a month.

HAROLD ROBERTS JOINS
UNITED STATES NAVY

Harold Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roberts of Comanche, joined the U. S. Navy Thursday at the Dallas recruiting office.

Young Roberts signed in the Naval reserve as a First Third Store Keeper. He will leave for San Diego this week.

Roberts is a 1939 graduate of Comanche High School.

Basketball Tourney
Scheduled For Hasse

Hasse's annual basketball tournament will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, Dec. 4, 5, and 6. Trophies will be awarded winning teams.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Little Brantley has returned home after attending the funeral of her brother-in-law, J. C. Walker of Daingerfield.

Miss Emoloid Newell, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carson Evans, has returned to Linden.

C. T. Thomassen of Daingerfield was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brantley and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Evans over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Evans entertained the young people with a party Friday night.

Mrs. Lolez Hammal and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robertson were visitors in De Leon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Evans and children, Guynelle and Grady Evans, Lucille Johnson, Emoloid Newell and Ella were visitors in Brownwood Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. O. D. Henry of Sylvester, Texas, have returned home after visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sledge of Merkel visited her mother, Mrs. J. H. Lloyd last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lloyd and son of Knott visited his mother, Mrs. J. H. Lloyd last week.

Mrs. Conrad Schmidt Jr. and daughter, Betty Jo, of Fort Worth have been visiting their mother, Mrs. M. Ward over the first Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. W. J. Brown of Lampasas spent part of last week in Comanche with her daughter, Mrs. John S. Hart.

Mrs. John S. Hart is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Wheeler in Grand Saline.

Ted Durham, senior student at the University of Texas, spent the week-end in Comanche with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Durham.

Joe Clate Carnes, Toby Davis, Bernard Edwards, and MacEvan Palmer, all students at the NYA center at Ranger, were Comanche visitors over the week-end.

Coach and Mrs. Jimmie Marshall and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marshall over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Hoffman and son, Gary, spent Sunday in Waco.

Mrs. J. H. Lewis has returned to Comanche after a two month's stay in Laredo.

Mrs. John Boswell has returned to her home in Nocona after visiting for two weeks in Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vineyard and son, "Pepper", carried Mrs. Boswell to Fort Worth Sunday, and met Mr. Boswell who had driven down from Nocona.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carnes of De Leon spent the week-end in Comanche.

Mrs. Lloyd Henderson and son of Alpine spent Sunday in Comanche, visiting her sisters, Mrs. Oma McKinzie and Mrs. Ernest Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Little and Harold Little of Denton visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Little Thursday.

Peggy Durham, who is a student at John Tarleton, spent the week-end in Comanche with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Durham.

Margaret Wilkerson, who is teaching at Novice, visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilkerson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Cauley and son, Jack, Jr., of Amarillo; Mrs. Bill Cauley and son of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cauley and children of Fort Worth spent Sunday in Comanche visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cauley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Luker have returned to Fort Clarke after visiting friends and relatives in Comanche and Proctor. Luker is a first lieutenant in the cavalry post at Fort Clarke, located near Del Rio.

Mrs. Doc Isham of Comanche is visiting her son, Lloyd Isham in Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lowe of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Thompson, in Comanche over the week-end.

Mrs. L. D. Cogburns of Denver, Colorado, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hendrick this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Novit and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Balling of Stephenville visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Melowsky in Comanche Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sanders and daughter and Mrs. Wharton of Sulphur Springs spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Helm.

Miss Bonnie Humphries of Brownwood spent the week-end in Comanche with her sister, Mrs. Dale Howard.

E. E. Anthony and Boyd Anthony were Fort Worth visitors Sunday.

SPRING YOUTH
NOW AT KELLY FIELD

Along with 1973 other cadets, James Oliver Jones, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Oliver Jones, Sr., RFD 1, Sipe Springs, is now a member of the first class of cadets in the new Air Corps Replacement Center (Aircor) at Kelly Field, Texas. Induction began Nov. 12 with most of the cadets reporting on that day.

Cadet Jones attended John Tarleton Agricultural College, 1935-37. At the Replacement Center he will go through five weeks of preliminary training before being sent to a primary flying school where he will start his flight training. This five week course will give Cadet Jones a thorough military background for becoming an officer in the Army of the United States on graduation from an ad-later.

Guthrie F. Layne and two little daughters, Mary and Dorothy, were recent visitors in the home of his mother and family.

Lorraine English, junior at Texas Wesleyan College and Camilla English, junior student nurse at Harris Memorial Methodist Hospital, Fort Worth, spent the week-end in Comanche with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. B. English.

MR. AND MRS. BREWER
GIVEN HOUSE WARMING

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brewer of the Shiloh community who recently moved into their new rock home, were honored last Thursday night with a house warming shower. The affair was given by Miss Corene Stewart, assisted by Mrs. Jack Stuckey and ladies of the Shiloh community.

Refreshments of coffee, hot chocolate and cake were served to about fifty guests, including relatives of Mrs. Brewer from Dallas, Brownwood, and Priddy.

Mrs. Fred Helms is visiting her parents in Lockhart this week.

Bette Krauss, who is teaching at Midland, spent the week-end in Comanche with her mother, Mrs. Tom Dudley.

Theresa Corcoran of Denton visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helms in Comanche over the week-end.

Mrs. Dave Cunningham is ill in the Gorman hospital.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all of our friends who sent flowers and other gifts to me while I was confined in the hospital. These thoughtful gifts and visits did much to make my hospital stay more comfortable. My kindest thanks to each of you.—Earl Burnett.

VOLLEY BALL CLUB IS
FORMED AT COMANCHE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

(By Club Reporter)

The Comanche Volley Ball Club met Nov. 19 in the Grammar School Auditorium.

Miss Ervin presided at the business meeting during which the following officers were elected: Captain, Vera D. Frasier; Co-Captain, Verna Mae Spears.

The twenty-eight who came out for volley ball besides officers were:

Jessie Marie Bear, Ina B. Burks, Norma Jean Carter, Kathleen Coulter, Billie Ruth Davis, Jane Dunn, Gwendolyn Evans, Imogene, Fagan, Marietta Phipps, Jan Franks, Doyleene Gillette, Myrtle Lou Hasley, Marjorie Hayes, Patsy Jenkins, LaLura June Johnson, Mary Beth Kinsey, Virginia Ligon, Nitzia Jan McKinzie, Patsy Payne, Laura Mae Perry, Wanda Piper, Betty Roberts, Joyce Stark, Betty Stewart, Joy Nell Stratton, Jeanne Tucker, La Verne Wells, Ray Nell Woods.

The club will choose sides and places will be won by the most efficient players. Much fun is anticipated in selecting the two teams for the Interscholastic League contest.

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News

Miss Kathleen Perdue entertained the junior and senior high school students with a party Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McElroy and son, J. W., visited Mr. and Mrs. John Goforth at De Leon. Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hathcock Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Luther Duncan and family and Mrs. Josie Duncan and daughter all of Dublin, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lane and Doris, and Mrs. O. H. McElroy and Judy all of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Turner and daughters visited relatives in De Leon and Baggett over the weekend.

Leon Westfall returned Saturday from Throckmorton, where he spent several days with relatives. Mrs. D. Y. Reed and Addie have returned from Waco where the former has been receiving treatment from a specialist.

Riley Havens of Hamilton visited his daughter, Mrs. Burgess Elliott here last week. Nolan Fields of Tucson, Arizona is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fields.

Miss Wanda Bell Johnson of Throckmorton spent the weekend with her cousin, Miss Jessie Westfall.

Oscar McElroy visited relatives in Iredell Sunday. Miss Kathleen Perdue visited her brother, Glen Perdue, at San Angelo Tuesday.

Miss Gemetha Black is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Lee, this week.

Mrs. J. E. Chiles and Mrs. Davis of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hodge Tuesday.

Cotton Grove

Floyd, Doyle and Morris Bingham visited J. T. and Le Roy Laughlin Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Gossett honored Mrs. Cora Ratliff Monday night with a surprise birthday supper. Those present were Mrs. Lottie Towe, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gossett and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Woolsey and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Hilliard and family were in Brownwood Sunday visiting at Camp Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert Roberson and daughter from San Antonio are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knight and sons.

Carlos and Eudine Woolsey attended the circus at Comanche last Tuesday afternoon.

Indian Creek

Several from here attended the dedication of the new courthouse at Comanche and heard Governor Stevenson speak Monday.

Mrs. D. F. Carmichael, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Archie Carmichael of Comanche went to Fort Worth Tuesday where Mr. Carmichael received treatment.

Miss Bonnie Belle Collins of Gartman's View and Miss Velda Jean Burdette of this community spent Sunday night with Miss Byline Lawless.

Several from here attended singing at Comanche Thursday. Jodie Allen and Mrs. D. W. Stewart visited Bob Stewart and family at Sidney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brazier's daughter of Emory spent the weekend here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Elrod's daughter and her husband of Sweetwater spent the weekend here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Scott of Blanket spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McGlothlin.

Pyorrhea May

Follow Neglect

Are your gums unsightly? Do they itch? Do they burn? Druggists return money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.

DURHAM'S PRESCRIPTION PHARMACY

Comanche Girl Gets Letter From An English Girl

Miss Nell Rose Webb of Comanche has just received the following letter from Miss Betty Bastable—English girl. (Received 9-23-41).

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Birmingham, England
8-22-41

Dear Nell:

I received your letter a few days ago. Thank you very much. I also received the other letter you mentioned. I expect by now you have had my answer.

I came back from my second week's holiday about a fortnight ago. I enjoyed it and certainly did not feel much like coming back to work. Your trip to Mexico sounds interesting—perhaps you could send me a post card.

I'm enclosing a couple of cuttings referring to the last sharp raid we had here. Since then we've had several warnings but nothing serious.

Thanks for the cuttings of the rodeo—that's something I've always wanted to see but never have—so far. I'm awfully sorry but I can't find any cuttings about Rudolph Hess—I meant to keep them at the time but I must have forgotten. I'll see if I can find anything else that might interest you. I saw the news-reel of Mr. Churchill meeting President Roosevelt at the pictures the other night. We all applauded at the picture of Churchill & Roosevelt seated side by side laughing and talking together.

We are all saving hard, urged at by the Government to buy National Savings Certificates. We have a National Savings Group where I work and each week I contribute what I like and when I have completed a certificate it is noted in a small book. I'm trying to save as much as I can because apart from helping the Government to obtain more war material and so give us a victory, I shall be able to draw all the money out some time after the war when it will probably come in very useful.

I went up to London for the day a week ago. It poured with rain all the time. I didn't notice a great deal of damage but I expect London's damage is like ours here in Birmingham—scattered over a wide area. There was quite a bit of damage done just about

where I work and from our building, we got a first hand view of the ruins. Our old building where I used to work until the December blitz is part of the ruins. The outer shell—all that was left after the raid, is being demolished by workmen. I worked there for eight years and I feel rather sorry to see the old place as it is now. The windows of our present temporary building were blown out in the spring blitz and now instead of glass, we have a special kind of paper in the frames. The windows at the other side of the building were intact and the glass is still in the frames. It is covered with fine netting to prevent flying glass, should a bomb fall.

You don't see many big glass shop windows now. Most of them are neatly boarded up with just a small pane of glass in the centre. They don't look at all unsightly—quite the reverse! The wood is painted in bright colors and the little centre pane of glass is rather intriguing. It makes you want to see more, so you have to go right up to it and look in.

We're all mentally preparing for the long winter nights. We all know what to expect. Mr. Churchill himself has told us to expect heavy raids but we know they're getting it back doublefold and so we can take it. We take it in turns together with others in the road to do fire-watching. I expect you've heard all about it. As soon as the alert sounds we go out—if we're on duty. If they're only passing over (the planes) and I'm not on duty, I stay in bed. But if the bombs drop pretty close, then I'm up whether I'm on duty or not. You soon get to tell if it's going to be bad raid or not. The nearest bomb was one that dropped in the road behind our house. It was a delayed action and didn't go off till late in the afternoon. It fell in a church and the bomb disposal squad couldn't get it out as it was too far down. There isn't much of the church left now!

The weather is very unsettled just now. We have showers every day just like April. First thing in the morning, the sky is a beautiful blue and then later on it goes

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I don't know any soldiers actually fighting. I've lost touch with most of the boys I knew—some are still in the British Isles. I think doing training but exactly where, I can only guess—they're always being moved. I've read a lot about the RAF pilots training in America but I don't know any of them. I had some snaps taken last week and will send you one if they turn out OK.

It's good of you to say you'll send me something but we're not really badly off except for things like cosmetics and luxuries like that. I don't think the government wants us to accept things from abroad—they say "no food nor clothes"—I don't know about the rest.

I went to see "Boom Town" a couple of days ago and enjoyed it very much—especially when I saw Spencer Tracy. Its time for bed so Cheerio for now.

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Betty

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Beattie
Members of the P.T.A. enjoyed a supper at the school house Wednesday night of last week. "Aunt Beattie" Hogan of Comanche has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clint Welch and family. Mr. and Mrs. Underwood and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith have moved to Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Underwood are moving to Fort Worth where he will work. Mr. Moore and Boyce Bingham, who are working in Oklahoma, visited home folks over the week-end. Mrs. Gore of Comanche and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gore of near Comanche visited the B. Ray McCorkle and the S. F. Williams Friday. Mrs. Mattie Stephenson, Mrs. Sis Emert, and Mrs. Bea Sanders visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McCorkle last week-end. All the high school pupils and teachers went to Comanche Monday to hear Governor Stevenson dedicate the new courthouse.

Roch
The peanut harvest was completed here last week. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Garner and family and D. C. Garner spent the week-end in Fort Worth visiting relatives and shopping. J. P. Thompson, age 80, passed away at his home Nov. 14. Interment was in the Hanson Cemetery. Funeral services were held by Rev. J. M. Bradford of Brownwood and Rev. Gordon Barrett of Comanche. Mrs. Hollis Cox and son are spending a few days at Rotan with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Rollins and family. Bruce Daniels, who has been here for several weeks harvesting his crop, left Saturday to join his wife who is a senior at Texas Tech in Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Kinnard, Sr. have received announcement of the arrival of a grandson. He is James Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bassett of Big Wells. Charles Guy Johnson spent last Thursday night at Buffalo visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilkerson. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shelby

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mitchell of Albany visited Rev. and Mrs. Frank Martin Sunday. Homer Booth underwent an operation at the Gorman Hospital Saturday morning. J. H. Stephenson, who is now living in Fort Worth, was here the latter part of the week on business. Bernice Warren and family are now living in the J. H. Stephenson house. Practically all peanuts in this community have been threshed. Cold weather has brought about hog killings in this section.

Macksville
Oran Gregg has sold his place to Mr. Richardson of Blanket and bought a place from Walter Jennings. Mr. Gregg will move to the place he bought. W. M. "Dub" Gregg has been sent to Galveston for training in the selective service. Miss Marie Barnett of Weatherford visited home folks over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Nell who have been staying with their daughter, Mrs. M. G. McDonald, moved to their home in Gustine Monday. Mrs. Eva Maples will stay with them. Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hillhouse Sunday were all their sons and daughters. The ywere Mrs. Frank Whittaker and baby daughter, Frankie Rena Belle of Sunset, Mrs. Elmer Ables and sons, Billie Ray and Harold Duane of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fisher of Gustine, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Pettit and baby son, Aaron Lynn of Gustine, Mrs. J. M. Fisher and baby, Patsy and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hillhouse, also Granville Hillhouse, who lives at home. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Donald, Mrs. Mag Hillhouse, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Donald. Kenneth Rinehart, who has been in St. Joseph Hospital in Fort Worth for the past five months, came home last Saturday night but had to be taken back to the hospital early Sunday. He was operated on Thursday for the eighth time, and will have another operation next week. Mr. and Mrs. Noma Sharpe announce the birth of a baby girl. The little lady made her arrival Wednesday and is their only child. The Home Workers Club met with Mrs. Floyd Bolton Thursday

Soda Springs
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Caraway and family visited his mother at Gorman Sunday. Miss Gaynell Smith has returned home from Cisco, where she has been employed. Miss Monie Irby visited her sister, Mrs. A. E. Merritt at Blanket over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Vineyard and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harper Gray. Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hinley of Silvester, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sledge and son of Merkel and Mrs. Rob McGinnis of Gustine visited Mrs. J. H. Lloyd Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert Robertson of San Antonio and Ben Robertson of Lubbock are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robertson. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nowland and family of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Reed and family of Bibb, Mr. and Mrs. Garner Lloyd of Logan's Gap visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lloyd Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Creamer are off on a deer hunt. Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Fowler of Ingram visited here last week. Sidney Strickland of Ft. Bliss visited home folks here last week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Buster McDonald have moved into their new home. Mr. and Mrs. Elmond Wayland are visiting relatives at Desdemona. Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willis Steward over the week-

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Burnell Clements of California is visiting his parents here. Tom Zack Bolton of Camp Bowie visited friends and relatives here over the week-end. Charline Howell of Fort Worth spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Howell. Mrs. O. W. Couch gave a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of her husband. Those present were: Mrs. Greenon and children, Nina Johnston, Robie Lou Ernest, Baby John Couch, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Couch and O. W. Couch and family. George Roy Harrison of Fort Worth spent last week here with his father, Norman Harrison and other relatives. Dorothy Harrison of Fort Worth is visiting relatives here this week.

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Game Statistics

Weatherford	Indians
First Downs	10
Yards Gained Rushing	120
Yards Lost Rushing	30
Passes Attempted	10
Passes Completed	1 for 11 Yds.
Passes Intercepted By	0
For 430 Yds.	0 for 250 Yds.
Yds.	Punt Average 30 Yds.
For 10 Yds.	Penalties 3 for 35 Yds.

The Comanche High School Indians cinched at least a tie for the District 12-A football championship by playing a scoreless tie with the Weatherford Kangaroos, defending district champions, here Friday night. The game was played in the rain before a large crowd.

Coach Frazier's and Dyer's Indians can win the district title today, Thursday, Nov. 27, by beating or tying the De Leon Bearcats. If De Leon upsets the Indians the Indians, Comanche will go into a three way tie with Hamilton and Weatherford for the title.

The Indians were content to play a strictly defense game against the Kangaroos Friday night, and relied on the outstanding punting of A. J. Coker. Comanche's all district fullback to keep the Weatherford Kangaroos backed up during most of the game.

There was never a serious scoring threat during the game. The Indians pounced on a wild pass-back from center during the second quarter and recovered it on the twenty-five yard line. Four line plays netted seven yards; advancing the ball to the Kangaroo eighteen yard line. This was the most serious scoring threat of the night.

The Kangaroos were able to make first downs in their own territory and in midfield, but were never able to push the ball farther than the Indian thirty-five.

Coker Kicks 80 Yards.
Coker pulled the Indians out of a hole in the first quarter when he got off a tremendous 80 yard kick. The ball was resting in the Indians' possession on their own eighteen yard marker, when the big fullback got off this kick over the head of Wren, Kangaroo safety. Wren was tackled on the

Weatherford three yard marker. The Indians didn't try a pass during the entire game. Weatherford tried six passes and completed one; all being thrown in the last five minutes of play.

Brannan, Indian center, intercepted a last minute pass thrown by Hamilton of the Kangaroos to give the Indians possession of the ball on their own forty yard marker.

The Kangaroos drew two fifteen yard penalties on the last two plays of the game for unnecessary roughness, and the game ended with the Indians having a first down on the Kangaroo thirty.

The entire Indian line played good ball with Edwards, Eoff, Carter, and Spears leading the way. Munroe, at his line backing position, was particularly outstanding. Co-Captain Coker, who moves up to a defensive end position, turned in a very good defensive game, as well as heading Comanche's offense.

Thomas, 212-pound fullback, Wren and Hamilton were Kangaroo offensive stars. Childers, Owen and Boyd were outstanding in the line.

Play By Play.
Comanche won the toss, and elected to defend the East goal. Coker of the Indians kicked off to the Kangaroo five yard line, and Wren returned twenty-five yards to the Kangaroo thirty.

Weatherford drew a five yard penalty for offside. Layman hit the center of the line for three yards. Wren made one over left tackle. Wren kicked thirty five yards. Comanche drew a fifteen yards penalty for clipping.

Coker circled right end for a fifteen yard gain. Coker recovered his own fumble for a four yard loss. Coker lost six around right end. Coker's kick was partially blocked, but went twenty-five yards to midfield.

Wren failed to gain. Thomas, 212 pound fullback, picked up two yards; Wren made one off tackle. Wren kicked 25 yards to the Comanche twenty. Coker picked up eight off tackle, but on the next play was stopped for a two yard loss. Coker kicked thirty-five yards to the Weatherford forty-four.

Hamilton picked up six yards through the middle. Thomas made five and a first down through the center. Hamilton carried for eight yards over center. Hamilton made six and a first down off tackle.

Hamilton was stopped for no gain. Wren was stopped at the line of scrimmage by the center of the line. Hamilton picked up four yards off tackle. Thomas failed to gain, and the ball went to the Indians on downs.

Coker picked up one off tackle; Munroe got one off tackle. Coker got off a beautiful 30 yard kick to the Kangaroo three as the quarter ended.

SECOND QUARTER
Wren kicked 37 yards to the Kangaroo

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THIRD QUARTER
Nichols returned Thomas' kick to the Indian thirty yard line. Coker was dropped for a two yard loss by Turner. Coker gained two off tackle. Coker kicked thirty-five yards to Wren, and Edwards, Indian tackle, spilled Wren on the Kangaroo thirty-six.

Wren lost a yard around left end. Hamilton gained five off tackle. Thomas picked up five yards and a first down through the middle.

Coker broke through and tossed Layman for a six yard loss. Hamilton made four through the middle. Thomas picked up six through the center. Wren kicked twenty yards.

Coker failed to gain as he hit the center of the line. Coker kicked forty-five yards. Wren picked up fifteen around his own left end, and was stopped on a nice tackle by Nichols. Wren lost two as he attempted a run around right end. Hamilton picked up six through the middle. Thomas made three through the middle. Thomas picked up two and a first down through the middle.

Wren failed to gain. Thomas fumbled on the next play with Spears recovering on the fifty-yard stripe.

Coker picked up three around right end;

thirty. Coker hit the center for three yards; Coker got five off tackle. Munroe hit the center of the line for one yard, but fumbled with Weatherford recovering.

Wren made three around left end. Wren lost 1 off tackle. Hamilton picked up six through the middle. Wren kicked twenty-five yards to Wagoner, Indian safety, who returned ten yards to the Indian forty.

Coker picked up nine yards off tackle. Coker made two and a first down. Munroe was dropped for a five yard loss by Childers. Coker failed to gain. Coker kicked thirty-five yards to the Kangaroo 30.

Hamilton picked up eight through the middle. Wren made one off tackle. Thomas hit the center of the line for four yards and a first down.

In a backfield mix-up, a wild pass from center was recovered by Spears of the Indians on the Weatherford twenty-five yard line.

Coker hit center for two yards. Coker picked up two yards off tackle. Coker gained one yard around right end. Coker was held to a two yard gain off tackle, and Weatherford took over on downs.

Hamilton was stopped for no gain. Layman was dropped for a one yard loss. Wren hit the center for nine yards. Thomas made six yards and a first down through center.

Hamilton picked up nine off tackle. Thomas made two and a first down through the center. Hamilton made four yards as the half ended.

Coker gained three through the middle; Coker carried for one off tackle. Coker kicked thirty yards, and out of bounds on the Kangaroo fifteen.

Wren picked up eight off tackle. Wren was thrown for an eight yard loss on the next play. Wren kicked thirty-five yards to midfield.

Coker was thrown for a two yard loss. Coker kicked to the Kangaroo twenty yard marker.

Hamilton made three off tackle; Wren picked up four through the middle. Wren kicked to the Indian forty-two yard marker.

Munroe got five off tackle; Coker picked up three off tackle. Coker got one through the middle. Coker kicked thirty-five yards.

Wren lost one as he hit the center of the line. Thomas made four through the middle. Wren kicked forty-five yards.

Coker kicked thirty-five yards. Wren failed to gain. Hamilton made four through the middle. Thomas picked up six and a first down through the middle.

Hamilton's pass, the first of the game, barely missed to Shelby, who was in the open on the Indian twenty. Hamilton's pass to Wren was incomplete. Hamilton faded back to pass and was tossed for a fifteen yard loss by Coker and Eoff. Wren kicked ten yards, as he was badly rushed by Indian linemen.

Coker failed to gain as he hit the center. Coker picked up two off tackle. Munroe failed to gain. Coker kicked thirty-five yards. Wren's pass to Stafford was incomplete. Hamilton's pass to Layman was wide. Brannan, Indian center, intercepted Hamilton's pass on the Indians' forty yard marker.

Coker picked up five around right end. Coker hit center for one. Munroe picked up two, but Weatherford drew a fifteen yard penalty for unnecessary roughness.

Coker hit the center of the line for five yards, but again Weatherford was penalized fifteen yards for unnecessary roughness. Coker picked up five yards as the game ended.

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SPORTS SLANTS
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The Indians face the De Leon Bearcats this afternoon (Thursday) at the local ball park at 2 o'clock in the annual Thanksgiving Day classic.

The Indians need a victory or tie to win the District 12-A title. The locals hold a full game lead over Weatherford and Hamilton.

The Bearcats haven't been able to crash into the win column in the District 12-A standings this season; but have played an improved brand of football in the last two or three games.

On Armistice, the Bearcats held the Gorman Panthers to a 12-6 decision.

Comanche, undefeated in district competition, has a wide edge over their county rivals, the Bearcats, in statistics; but most Comanche fans will remember that the Indians were expecting to beat De Leon some six or seven touchdowns last season — and came out with a bare 7-0 victory.

The 1940 victory came within the last minute of play when Bernard Edwards, star end of last season's team, caught a short kick in midfield and raced it back for a score.

There will be plenty of passes flying this afternoon when the Bearcats tangle with the locals.

In the game with Weatherford, the Bearcats tried only six or seven running plays during the night; but kept the air filled with passes.

If the Bearcats upset the Indians, the District 12-A race will end in a three way tie between Comanche, Weatherford, and Hamilton.

The Indians will be seeking their sixth consecutive win over De Leon. The Bearcats scored their last victory over the Indians in 1935.

Bowie coaches and officials, who were here at the Weatherford-Comanche game Friday night. But Coach Frazier said that he would wait until the De Leon game was over before talking arrangements for a bi-district game.

Bowie won the District 11A championship Thursday afternoon by downing Nocona, 6-0.

Comanche turned in a very good defensive game Friday night when the Indians and the Kangaroos of Weatherford played to a scoreless tie.

Coker's great kicking—an average of 38 yards on eleven kicks—was outstanding for the Indians. Coker got off a powerful eighty yard kick from his own eighteen to the Weatherford three yard marker.

Edwards, all district tackle for

the Indians last season, turned in one of his best games of the season against the Kangaroos.

Billie Munroe, Indian linebacker, was outstanding on defense against Weatherford. Munroe broke through several times to spill Kangaroo backs for losses.

The Indians faced the best line, both offensively and defensively, that they have met this season when they faced the tough Kangaroo forward wall Friday night —according to coaches and members of the Indian squad.

District 12-A Standings.

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Comanche	5	0	1	.912
Weatherford	4	0	3	.786
Hamilton	5	1	1	.786
Dublin	4	2	1	.639
Hico	2	4	0	.333
Gorman	2	5	0	.285
Eastland	1	5	0	.167
De Leon	0	6	0	.000

Board Church

Several from this community attended the circus at Comanche Tuesday night of last week.

Dale Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilson, spent Thanksgiving in the hospital at Camp Bowie, with tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nance.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufe McNutt announce the arrival of a baby girl at their home.

The Good Cheer Club met with Mrs. C. C. Wilson Thursday of last week. Hot chocolate and cake were served to about 30 guests.

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BLOCK CHILI 1b. 25¢		FRESH OYSTERS pt. 42¢	

Carnes Food Market

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Hufstutler had as visitors Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Vick, Jeff Powell and Miss Amanda Powell all of near Merouary, and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper and son, William of Dallas. The group enjoyed listening to Mr. Hufstutler recount stories of Indian raids he experienced in the early days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge of San Antonio spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mazurek. George Massingill, who is attending North Texas Teachers College, spent the week-end in Comanche with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Massingill.

Mrs. Etta Roberson spent last week in Dallas with her daughters, Mesdames Julian Williams and B. O. Twaddell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Boynton, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williamson and son of Abilene, Mrs. C. G. Nicholas and children, and Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Burks of Comanche attended a birthday dinner for W. A. Burks in Hamilton Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gleaton of Gustine announce the birth of a son, John Edwin, at Brownwood Memorial Hospital on Nov. 9.

Earl Burnett, who was injured on November 4 in an accident when the shovel of a crane fell on him, was released from the Gorman Hospital Tuesday. Mr. Burnett, who suffered a crushed left arm, is reported to be progressing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Coker spent Sunday in Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Tone Cade of Blanket were Comanche visitors Monday.

Doyce Short spent Sunday in De Leon with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Willis of Brownwood were Comanche visitors Sunday.

S. C. Findley of Brownwood was a Comanche visitor Monday.

R. D. Sanders, wife and daughter, Susan Lucile, with Mrs. W. S. Wharton of Sulphur Springs visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Helm last week-end. Mr. Sanders and Mrs. Wharton is a brother and sister of Mrs. Helm and Turner Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barton of Ballinger were week-end visitors in Comanche.

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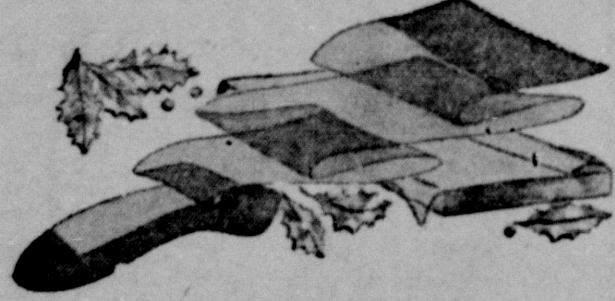
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Billie Lou Cameron, who is a nurse at the De Leon Clinic, spent Friday in Comanche with her mother, Mrs. Mae Cameron.

Mrs. Y. L. Lones and daughter, Nan, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. P. St. Clair in Comanche over the week-end.

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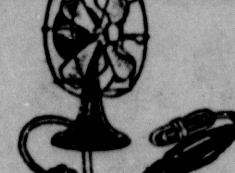
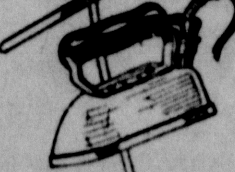


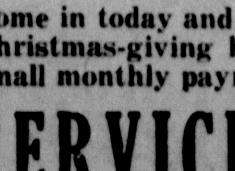
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